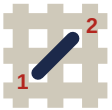
Consider the lilies, field of white

Needlepoint pattern | 104 x 130 stitches | 8 x 10 in (20.3 x 25.4 cm) on 13 mesh | 19 colors



How to stitch it



1. Each square is one tent stitch, up at 1, down at 2. Lines in continental, right to left, the canvas upside down for the next row; wide areas in basketweave.
2. Cut 18 in of thread. Start and end it without a knot left behind.
3. Mark the middle of the canvas. It is the outlined square on page 2, column 52, row 65 (DMC 471): start there. Count threads, not holes.
4. Go on from it: picture first, background last. Gray squares are on two pages: stitch them once.
5. When it is done, block it square.

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How to read a chart: flossfield.com/needlepoint/guides/how-to-read-a-chart/

What you need

Canvas: blank mono canvas, 13 mesh (13 threads to the inch), cut 12 in wide x 14 in high (30.5 x 35.6 cm).

Needle: blunt tapestry, size 20. Also masking tape for the cut edges, and small scissors.

Thread: six-strand floss, 19 colors, about 31 skeins in all (an estimate). Stitch with 7 strands (8 if canvas shows).

Frame it: acid-free board and a frame.
How to frame needlepoint.

Thread list, DMC

			stitches	skeins
●	311	Medium Navy Blue	5,896	9
■	3821	Straw	2,248	4
▲	BLANC	White	1,166	2
◆	3808	Ultra Very Dark Turquoise	548	1
▼	3765	Very Dark Peacock Blue	544	1
★	471	Very Light Avocado Green	472	1
❖	988	Medium Forest Green	420	1
X	3842	Very Dark Wedgwood	402	1
H	3747	Very Light Blue Violet	376	1
+	3848	Medium Teal Green	320	1
=	772	Very Light Yellow Green	264	1
Z	783	Medium Topaz	208	1
A	500	Very Dark Blue Green	160	1
V	895	Very Dark Hunter Green	132	1
T	993	Very Light Aquamarine	118	1
N	3746	Dark Blue Violet	76	1
S	782	Dark Topaz	72	1
K	920	Medium Copper	70	1
E	340	Medium Blue Violet	28	1

Skeins are estimates: the thread a stitch takes on the front and back of 13 mesh canvas, plus 30 percent, rounded up for each color.
Thread colors are approximate screen matches to DMC numbers. Check against real thread before you buy.
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Columns 1 to 104, rows 1 to 69. Start at the red outline

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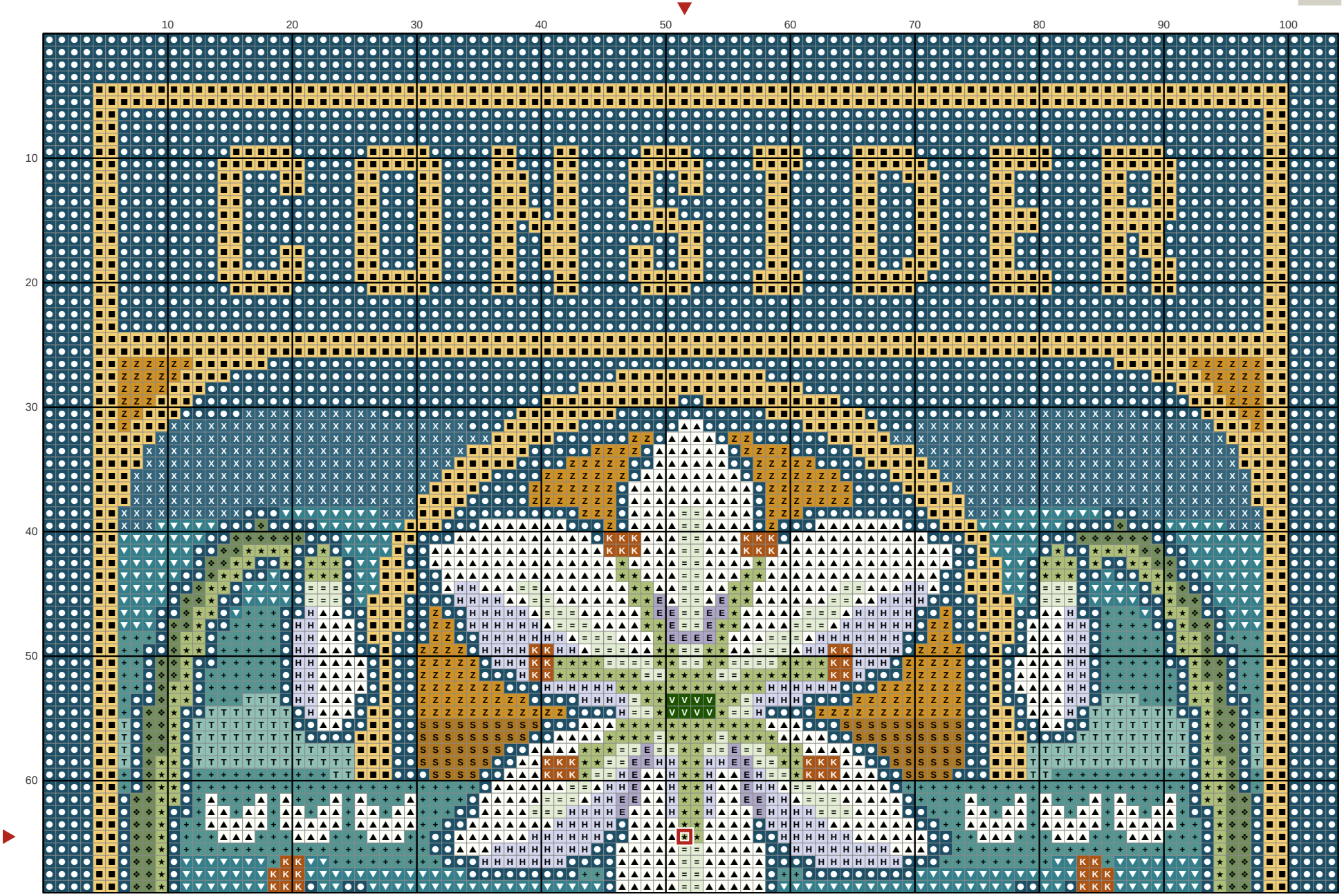

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Columns 1 to 104, rows 70 to 130. Gray squares: charted already, do not stitch again

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